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## EDWARDS WIRE WORKS COMPANY

### The New Addition to South San Francisco's Rapidly Growing Industrial Colony--Factory to Be Erected at Once.

As announced in last week's Enterprise, a splendid new industry is coming to South San Francisco immediately. The E. H. Edwards Company, operating in San Francisco and the northwest will concentrate all its coast business at South San Francisco. The site fronts the railroad and comprises five acres between the Butler road and the steel works. The first unit to be constructed now consists of a factory building eighty feet wide by two hundred feet long. About \$75,000 worth of machinery will be installed in this building and will give employment to fifty skilled mechanics. The company manufactures

fencing, nets, barbed wire, telephone wire and all forms of wire products. A large galvanizing plant will also be installed. It is the purpose of the company to engage in the very near future in the manufacture of steel cables and wire rope.

George Wagner, a well-known San Francisco building contractor, has received the contract for building the factory. Mr. Wagner says that he has been instructed also to prepare plans for additional buildings, and that when the Edwards company gets under full operation it will take rank as one of South San Francisco's leading industries.

## REAL ESTATE SALES

Made by the Agents of the E. C. Peck Co. in South San Francisco During Month of September.

Sold to Thomas Schmidt—West 10 feet of lot 33 and east 30 feet of lot 32 in block 102.

Sold to P. McCormick—West 16 2-3 feet of lot 19 in block 126.

Sold to J. Bertilson—East 33 1-3 feet of lot 19 in block 126.

Sold to J. Tambellini—Lot 34 in block 82.

Sold to L. Battyany—Lot 10 in block 115.

Sold to A. Cinelli—Lot 20 in block 101.

Sold to J. H. Ditton—East half of lot 10 and west half of lot 9 in block 84.

Sold to A. G. Gsell—North half of lot 18 in block 113.

Sold to N. Stearns—East 10 feet of lot 30 and west 30 feet of lot 31 in block 102.

Sold to C. Lencioni—East 33 1-3 feet of lot 28 in block 100.

Sold to Charles Nuno—East 20 feet of lot 31 and west 20 feet of lot 32 in block 102.

Sold to J. B. Shaw—Lot 13 in block 103.

Sold to T. Joyce—West 40 feet of lot 30 in block 102.

Sold to H. F. McNellis—Lot 37 in block 102.

Sold to M. A. Borba—Lot and house on lot 17 in block A of Peck's subdivision.

Sold to J. Hanna—Lot 22 in block 116.

Sold to J. Hanna—Lot 23 in block 116.

Sold to J. Hanna—Lot 24 in block 116.

Sold to J. Hanna—Lot 25 in block 116.

Sold to J. Colombo—West 37½ feet of lot 11 in block 126½.

For Rent—Modern cement cottage; five rooms and bath; Peck's Lots. Owner on premises Sunday. Advt.

## THE DUMBARTON VEHICULAR BRIDGE

The Redwood City chamber of commerce is actively engaged in formulating plans for a strong effort in behalf of the Dumbarton auto highway. Nearly all the municipalities in the county have already appointed committees to give active support to this matter. A number of the leading civic and merchant bodies of San Francisco have written letters of inquiry on this subject and have expressed a wish to participate in the proposed campaign.

The new map prepared by F. H. Drake of the San Francisco Peninsula Development Company reveals an accessibility feature by this route for San Francisco and this Peninsula with the great San Joaquin and Sacramento valleys twenty-five minutes shorter than by way of Oakland. A natural all-road route for the Lincoln highway to reach its great terminal, San Francisco, and the most inviting tourist route possible. This bridge would strip at one stroke all vestige of argument against San Francisco as an inaccessible island and would establish it as a more positive mainland city than any other water front community.

The Colma Garage quotes some good points about LUSTERALL for this section: It will not collect dust; is not affected by rain or mud; contains no acid; is a perfect auto body renewer and preserver; will outlast any other now used; is highly praised by thousands of California car owners, and with every can we say, "Satisfaction or your money back." We guarantee LUSTERALL. Try it.

Advt.

## G. BURNETT AND WIFE IN AUTO ACCIDENT

George Burnett, manager of the Six-Mile House on the San Bruno road and well known in South San Francisco, Mrs. Burnett, with Mr. and Mrs. Rogers of Visitacion valley, were all painfully cut and bruised last night when thrown out of their automobile, near Miramar, on the coast.

The machine in which the two couples were returning from a pleasure trip, had a blowout, swerved and turned on its side. The occupants were all thrown to the roadway and were cut by a shower of glass from the broken windshield.

Passing automobiles picked up the injured and took them back to Quintan's Cafe at Miramar, where they were given treatment by Dr. W. A. Brooke of Halfmoon Bay.

### THE WOMAN'S CLUB.

The Woman's Club will meet Thursday, October 5th, at 2:30 p. m., in Lodge Hall.

## A GOOD WORD

From your Bank is very satisfactory reference.

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COMMERCIAL

SAVINGS

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS TOLD IN BRIEF

Miss Elizabeth Hyland has resigned her position as stenographer with J. W. Coleberd.

Rev. Leslie C. Kelley leaves this afternoon for a brief vacation in southern California. Services in Grace Church will be conducted by Chester Pratt at the regular hours.

The Ladies' Sodality of All Souls' Church gave an enjoyable card party last Thursday evening at the Capitol Hotel. The guests numbered ten tables.

Frank Knowles, formerly of this city and lately of Oakland, where he has been in the lumber business, left to-day for San Diego on account of ill health.

Mrs. S. Parr of San Francisco was a visitor here Wednesday.

Mrs. Santini Castro and daughter of King City, Cal., are visiting Mrs. J. F. Lopez for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. E. G. Evans, formerly of this city, was the guest of Mrs. J. O. Snyder Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Evans have been in Los Angeles for the last two years, but expect to reside in Burlingame in the near future.

J. O. Snyder has gone to Visalia for a few days in the interests of the Western Meat Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowe of Milwaukee, Wis., are here for a few days with Mrs. J. W. Coleberd, Mrs. Lowe's sister.

H. A. Cavassa is having the mezzanine floor of the Peninsula Drug Company's store in this city enlarged.

Mrs. George L. Perham of Hillsborough was the guest of Mrs. H. Clifford last Thursday.

The Betsy Ross Sewing Club met at the home of Mrs. R. W. Burge last Thursday.

The Ladies' Aid Society had its September meeting at the home of Mrs. T. C. Doak last Wednesday. Twenty-five ladies were present.

Mrs. E. P. Kauffmann entertained a few friends informally at her home last Thursday afternoon.

The E. C. Peck Company announced the immediate construction of a modern type of bungalow for L. Battyany on his lot on Miller avenue, opposite the new Catholic church.

Rev. Mr. Williams, formerly of this city, was here last Saturday.

Miss Grace Hobler of San Francisco was the guest of Miss Mabel McColm Monday evening.

The South San Francisco fire department answered its first home call with the new apparatus last night at 6 o'clock. A coal oil stove in the kitchen of an Italian family in the northern district of town set fire to the walls of the kitchen. A garden hose extinguished the flames before the local truck arrived. Little or no damage was done.

N. D. Phelps, engineer of the Southern Pacific, with H. C. Baumann, architect, representing the George Wagner offices of the well-known San Francisco contractors, were here yesterday laying out the spur track service system for the new wire works.

Thursday evening the members of the Woman's Improvement Club had a whist party at the home of Mrs. W. J. Martin. About forty members were present.

The F. F. B. Sewing Club met at the home of Miss Dora Harder last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. L. Leonard and Mrs. E. Wilmuth, formerly the Misses Lily and Ethel Ferner of this city, are here visiting Mrs. Peter Lind.

### RESIDENCE OF CHAS. YOUNG VISITED BY BURGLARS

Last Sunday night burglars broke through the kitchen window at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young. Mrs. Young was awakened by what she supposed to be a mouse, and was startled to distinguish the form of a man crouching on the floor of her bedroom. Calling her husband, they were again surprised when two men fled from the house. The intruders evidently had not been in there long for nothing was taken.

## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

(By Charles A. Sands.)

The local high school has been entered in the San Mateo and Santa Clara interscholastic league. Miss Clifford was appointed delegate and Ralph Woodman representative of the high school at the meetings of the C. I. F.

Two interesting games of basketball were played Tuesday and Thursday between the two organized girls' teams. The teams are the "South City Highs" and the "Badens." The South City Highs proved victors on both occasions, the score being 6 to 8 and 6 to 14. On the former's side were Mary Kauffmann (captain), Loretta McLean, Margaret Carmody, Eva Kavanaugh, Myrtle Kiessling and Sylvia Doak. On the latter's side were Beatrice Eikenkotter (captain), Politta Turnbull, Adeline Dischler, Opal Davis, Miss Clifford and Mildred Peck.

The Girls' Sewing Club met Wednesday as the guests of Adeline Dischler at the home of her parents. After an enjoyable time the club departed, well pleased with their reception.

A man is known by the polished condition of his car. LUSTERALL is considered the perfect auto body renewer and preserver, for it contains no acid. Your money back if not satisfied, by the South City Garage, corner Linden and Commercial avenues.

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## OBITUARY

Died—In this city, this morning, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rhoda Corley, Mrs. E. A. Hollingsworth of Ukiah, Cal.

Mrs. Hollingsworth had been here but a short time and had planned returning to her home to-day, but was taken ill shortly after 4 o'clock this morning and passed away suddenly.

The deceased was a pioneer of California and drove her own ox team across the plains. Her experiences in the early days were thrilling and many.

Mrs. Hollingsworth was well known in many parts of this state and beloved by all. She was 82 years old.

The Enterprise, with the many friends here of the bereaved family, extends its sympathy.

Mrs. A. McSweeney returned last Thursday from a visit to Stockton.

## BUILDING PERMITS FOR LAST NINETY DAYS

Taken from Records of City Clerk's Office.

June 2d—L. C. Kelley, west half of lot 33, block 99.

June 9th—E. Lazzari, lot 33, block 100. Cost \$1600.

June 30th—Ambrose Tapelli, lot 30, block 118. Cost \$1900.

June 30th—H. Labourdette, lot 9, block 117, five-room cottage. Cost \$1700.

July 7th—Mario Bezzico, lots 13 and 15, block Q, five-room frame cottage. Cost \$1800.

July 7th—Moreno Armenino, acreage property of G. Ucelli, frame building. Cost \$1400.

July 14th—Albert S. Smith, lot 39, block 118, frame cottage. Cost \$1050.65.

July 14th—E. C. Peck, parts lots 1, 2 and 3, block 78. Cost \$3000.

July 14th—E. C. Peck Co., lot 33, block 102, four-room building. Cost \$2000.

July 28th—F. Pistoni, north half of lot 12, block 122, frame building. Cost \$1050.

August 11th—Antonio Capitali—North half lot 15, block 128, frame building. Cost \$2300.

August 11th—D. Palany, east half lot 24, block 124, frame building. Cost \$600.

August 11th—J. Bianchi, lot 5, block 115, frame building. Cost \$800.

August 30th—H. H. Knoth, lot 1, block 117, frame building. Cost \$4000.

August 30th—E. C. Peck, lot 17, block A, frame building. Cost \$1200.

September 14th—E. C. Peck, lot 5, block 103, frame building. Cost \$2200.

September 14th—E. C. Peck, lot 10, block 115, frame building. Cost \$2100.

September 14th—F. A. Cunningham and L. Kauffmann, west half of lot 22, block 124, two-story reinforced concrete building. Cost \$5000.

September 14th—L. Michelli, lot 39, block 100, frame building. Cost \$1800.

September 14th—E. C. Peck, lot 25, block A, frame building. Cost \$1200.

September 14th—H. C. Cassen, lot 30, block U, frame house. Cost \$1130.

September 27th—Joseph Benedetto, west half of lot 33, block 118. Cost \$1700.

September 27—M. Silvera, west half lot 18, block 117. Cost \$600.

September 27th—P. McCormick, west third of lot 19 and east third lot 18 in block 126. Cost \$1000.

September 27th—James Carmody, lot 21, block 128. Cost \$600.

September 27th—George Wishing, lot 18, block 122. Cost \$1400.

J. H. Ditton—East half of lot 10 and west half of lot 9, block 84. Cost \$3000.

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**Fannie Ward in "The Cheat"**

At the Royal Theatre, Thursday, October 5th, Fannie Ward will appear in "The Cheat."

**The Cast.**

Edith Hardy.....Fannie Ward  
Dick Hardy, her husband.....Jack Dean  
Tori, one of Long Island's smart set.....Sessue Hayakawa  
Tori's valet.....Utaka Abe  
District Attorney.....Dana Ong  
Mrs. Reynolds.....Hazel Childers

**Synopsis of Plot.**

Richard Hardy, a New York stock-broker with a beautiful home on Long Island, has been on the wrong end of the market and is staking his last dollar on D. & O. stock. His wife, Edith, not knowing his financial condition, is entertaining and dressing lavishly. Hardy begs her to retrench, but she refuses.

Living near the Hardys is a popular young Japanese of wealth, His-huru Tori. He has a magnificent estate and his richly furnished house is the talk of the colony. Tori has a fad of branding his seal on his many treasures.

Tori is madly in love with Edith and when she asks him for his house for the Red Cross ball for the benefit of the Belgian sufferers, he gladly consents. Edith is treasurer of the Red Cross fund and upon hearing that United Copper stock is bound to rise, puts all of the fund, some \$10,000, in the hands of a friend to invest for her. The night of the ball in Tori's home he is devoted in his attentions, his easy manner disarming the husband's suspicions. Edith is informed that her money is gone. Hysterically she turns to Tori, who says he will

give her a check for \$10,000 if she will come to him the next day.

The next day Edith pays the fund with Tori's check. In the meantime, Hardy has been successful and rushes home to break the joyous news to Edith. She secures \$10,000 from her husband, and goes that night to pay Tori. Hardy, suspicious, follows her.

Tori awaits her, amusing himself by branding some of his curios. When Edith arrives she offers the check, but Tori takes her in his arms and kisses her. She threatens to kill herself and Tori offers her his revolver. Suddenly enraged, he gets a fiendish idea. Tearing the gown, he brands her on the bare shoulder and tells her to show it to her husband. Edith, mad with pain, shoots Tori and escapes just as her husband enters. Hardy finds the check and part of his wife's gown, and when the police enter announces that he shot the Japanese. Edith offers Tori anything if he will not press the charges against her husband, but he refuses.

Hardy will not permit Edith to speak and on the day of the sensational trial takes all of the blame on himself and is borne out by Tori, who has recovered. When Hardy is found guilty, Edith can no longer restrain herself. Rushing to the witness stand, she bares her branded shoulder to the judge and jury and denounces Tori. The angry audience in the court room try to get at Tori to lynch him, but he is saved by the police. The indictment against Hardy is dismissed and he and his wife are reunited.

**POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE FOR OCTOBER**

Brimful of interest is the October Popular Mechanics Magazine. Two hundred and twenty-eight terse articles record the new inventions and recent developments in science and mechanics. This magazine is always noted for its many fine illustrations, and in this respect the October number is better than ever. Among the war pages is a remarkable series of photographs showing the successive steps in the capture and occupation of a German first-line trench. An American aeroplane, of unusual design, in recent tests at Buffalo established a new speed record. A full-page picture of the craft is presented. Other page views show the new bascule bridge over the north branch of the Chicago river; a public-owned power plant proposed for Niagara; our soldiers on duty along the Mexican border; some pieces of furniture which show the trend in designing; several of New Jersey's country club-houses and golf links, etc.

The vast importance of the railway in the European war is emphasized in an article by R. J. Bjurstedt. The writer tells what is being done by the retreating and the invading armies in the way of railway destruction and reconstruction, and the remarkable progress made in standardizing bridge building, so that now strong steel structures are built in less time than temporary wooden bridges formerly required. Excellent illustrations accompany the article.

A floating station which controls all contact mines within a certain area is a new invention described in the October magazine. Another article describes a new German flying boat which carries a swift aeroplane on its

back. The chief function of the auxiliary craft seems to be to drop low and hurl bombs at particular objects of attack while the mother machine holds off enemy air craft.

In "Standardized Merchant Liners England's Commercial Project," Lewis R. Freeman outlines a colossal scheme of British shipping companies, whereby the building of steamships will be completely standardized, as is now done with automobiles and industrial machinery.

A wide variety of novel inventions or devices is described in this magazine. Some of these are: a trench-filling machine which does many men's work; a handy instrument which seals packages with gummed tape; an ax handle with shock absorber; an aeroplane gun which fires without recoiling; parcel post containers made of tough fiber; implement for intrenching celery; balancing machine for amateur airmen; shock absorber for automobile; electric lighted fishing rod; a gas "gun" which keeps coyotes away from herds; an outfit which generates gas from kerosene, etc.

The Shop Notes department, as usual, is crowded with practical suggestions and hints. Under the general heading, "The Woman's Home Workshop," it presents the first of three articles by Avis Gordon Vestal, "domestic engineer." This installation is entitled, "Designing the Kitchen for Comfort and Convenience."

The Amateur Mechanics department gives directions for making miniature metal-bound chests; a camera for taking pictures from a kite; a woodman's log raft, and many other things. One of the longer articles in the Amateur Mechanics department is "The Sporting Rifle and How to Use It," by Stillman Taylor.

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**NOTICE OF MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF THE BANK OF SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO TO CONSIDER INCREASE OF CAPITAL STOCK.**

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the resolution and order of the Board of Directors of The Bank of South San Francisco, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, and duly adopted at a regular meeting of said Board duly held on the 21st day of July, 1916, at the principal place of business of said corporation, to-wit: The Bank Building, at the corner of Linden Avenue and Grand Avenue in the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, a meeting of the stockholders of said corporation is hereby called for and will be held at the principal place of business of said corporation, to-wit: The Bank Building, corner of Linden Avenue and Grand Avenue in the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1916, at three o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposition to increase the capital stock of said corporation from Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00), divided into Five Hundred (500) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) each, to One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00), divided into One Thousand (1000) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) each.

By order of the Board of Directors.

Dated July 21, 1916. D. W. RATTO, Secretary of The Bank of South San Francisco. 7-29-16

For Sale—Four-room house and bath, just completed, near steel works; terms same as rent. Address P. O. box 604. Advt.

For Sale—A bargain, lot 25x100, in Peck's subdivision, on San Bruno road. Apply P. O. box 514 or at South City Hotel. Price \$500. Advt.

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Mails leave Postoffice twenty minutes before trains.

**ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF MAIL.**

Mail arrives—  
From the north at..... 6:47 a. m.  
" " south "..... 11:58 a. m.  
" " north "..... 12:13 p. m.  
" " south "..... 2:18 p. m.  
" " north "..... 3:41 p. m.  
" " north "..... 4:26 p. m.  
Mail leaves—  
For the south at..... 6:47 a. m.  
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D. McSWEENEY, P. M.

**South San Francisco****RAILROAD TIME TABLE**

April 20, 1916.

**BAY SHORE CUTOFF**

Northbound Trains Leave.	Southbound Trains Leave.
*6:03 a. m.	2:48 a. m.
*7:01 a. m.	6:47 a. m.
7:14 a. m.	7:14 a. m.
*7:42 a. m.	8:28 a. m.
*8:02 a. m.	10:58 a. m.
*8:43 a. m.	11:57 a. m.
9:23 a. m.	1:36 p. m.
9:53 a. m.	3:17 p. m.
11:23 a. m.	4:36 p. m.
1:42 p. m.	5:24 p. m.
3:42 p. m.	5:57 p. m.
5:14 p. m.	6:25 p. m.
5:32 p. m.	6:47 p. m.
7:04 p. m.	8:27 p. m.
7:28 p. m.	10:16 p. m.
8:23 p. m.	\$12:02 p. m.
11:39 p. m.	

\* Except Sunday.  
† Except Saturday and Sunday.  
‡ Saturday and Sunday.  
§ Theatre Train.

**CITY OFFICIALS**

TRUSTEES—J. H. Kelley (President), F. A. Cunningham, M. F. Healy, G. W. Holston, Geo. H. Wallace.

Clerk and Deputy Tax Collector..... W. J. Smith

Treasurer..... E. P. Kauffmann

Attorney..... J. W. Coleberd

Engineer and Supt. of Streets..... George A. Kneese

Recorder..... J. J. Dowd

Marshal..... H. W. Kneese

Night Watchman..... W. P. Acheson

Health Officer..... Dr. J. C. McGovern

SCHOOL TRUSTEES—C. C. Conrad, E.

N. Brown, J. J. Dowd

COUNTY OFFICIALS

Judge Superior Court..... G. H. Buck

Treasurer..... F. P. Chamberlain

Tax Collector..... A. McSweeney

District Attorney..... Franklin Swart

County Clerk..... Jos. H. Nash

Assessor..... D. P. Flynn

County Recorder..... W. H. Berg

Auditor..... J. J. Shields

Superintendent of Schools..... Roy Cloud

Coroner..... Dr. W. A. Brooke

Surveyor..... James V. Neuman

Health Officer..... W. G. Beattie, M. D.

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J. G. Walker, Master.

H. F. Mingledorf, Secretary.

Tippecanoe Tribe, No. 111, Impd. O. R. M., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Metropolitan Hall. Visiting brothers welcome.

H. Hyland, Sachem.

Daniel Hyland, Chief of Records.

South City Aerie, No. 1473, F. O. E., meets every Tuesday evening in Metropolitan Hall, 8 o'clock.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1916.

Dr. Wiley, who supported Wilson in 1912, is for Hughes this year. This puts a certified label on Hughes, so to speak.

What do we want from Europe after the war—money or goods? A continuation of low tariff duties will give us goods. A restoration of high tariff duties will give us money.

If the present tariff duties continue in force, Europe will flood our markets with cheap goods, produced by ill-paid labor—just as she did prior to the outbreak of the war, and just as she is now doing to a surprising extent, in spite of the war.

The European war broke out in August, 1914—and the reason we had no financial panic in this country was because of the federal reserve banking system, which went into operation the following November! This is the kind of argument with which democratic congressmen are filling up the Congressional Record these sultry summer days.

If, however, our tariff duties are raised, European capital will be prompted to come over here for the industrial development which must follow warfare. The transfer of foreign money to this manufacturing center will mean the employment of men here and at the American scale for the supply of the American market.

To-day, owing to the war, we are sending Europe goods and she is sending us money. The goods, however, are specialized products demanded by war; and that demand will be entirely suppressed when peace returns. Then we shall be compelled to take action to see that the course of commerce is not reversed. If low tariff duties are in force here when that day comes, we shall speedily find ourselves receiving goods from Europe and sending money to her. If our tariff protection is so high, however, that the flood of foreign goods cannot overtop it, the European manufacturer will transfer his plant to this country, more men will be employed here, there will be an enlarged home market for our own agricultural products, and a general ring of correlated prosperity will result.

### S. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH.

Should you desire to join a Bible class in Sunday school, try the one being organized at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning in the Methodist Sunday school. Rev. W. T. Miller is the teacher.

Come at 6:45 p. m. and hear talks on the Bible. We are about to begin a popular Bible study class. Get in at the beginning.

### Sermon Last Sunday.

Rev. W. T. Miller is the new pastor of the Methodist flock. He preached to good congregations on last Sunday. He will be in his pulpit twice every Sunday. Come out to-morrow. The theme at 11 a. m. will be, "The Walk to Emmaus," and at 7:30, "The Open Door and the Village Street." Do you want to hear the old gospel told in a new way? Come, and you will come again.

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### JUDGE BUCK COMMENTS ON PETITION PRESENTED BY JURY

Judge Buck, commenting upon the petition presented to him by the jury in the Conway case, which resulted in Conway's conviction of manslaughter for the death of Nick Barboni, whom Conway beat to death with his bare fists at a Colma road house and dance hall, said:

"The eloquence of the attorney for the defense caused the jurors to bring in a verdict that carried lighter punishment than they would have brought in if they had not heard it—Conway committed an atrocious offense."

Conway's defense was that Barboni made an improper proposal to him.

Two letters asking for clemency were also received by Judge Buck, one from Father Michael Doyle and the other from J. A. Folger, both of Woodside.

### BILLINGS DENIES KNOWLEDGE OF TANFORAN BOMB-GRIP

Warren K. Billings, convicted murderer of two of the victims in connection with the "preparedness parade" bomb atrocity in San Francisco, denies that he carried a suitcase to Tanforan. Three of the powerline poles near this city were dynamited last summer, and after the preparedness parade disaster and Billings' arrest, suspicion rested on him as being the man who carried the suitcase full of dynamite to Tanforan, later found by a camper and turned over to Marshal Kneese of this city.

### ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of unclaimed mail remaining in the postoffice at South San Francisco for the period ending September 24, 1916:

H. M. Pool, M. Marcus Manner, Marcello Barbero, G. Barbera, Helena Barrett, Pearl Baugaretrie, Mrs. Belle Beis, Mrs. Madelena Del Bianco, H. Christie, H. Henning, G. Chiose, Miss L. Hinning, Mrs. L. E. Lewis.  
— Daniel McSweeney, Postmaster.

### FORTY HOURS' DEVOTION AT ST. BRUNO'S CHURCH

The forty hours' devotion in honor of the Holy Eucharist will commence in St. Bruno's Church, San Bruno, Sunday, October 8th. The celebration will open with a high mass at 10 o'clock. The devotion will close with a high mass Tuesday morning, October 10th, at 8 o'clock. There will be special music.

Services Sunday evening, October 8th, will commence at 7:30 o'clock, and on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. On these two evenings the Catholic doctrine of the Real Presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist will be explained, and all non-Catholics who may be interested in this marvelous subject are most cordially invited to be present.

### PASTOR OF ST. PAUL'S CHURCH APPOINTED TO NEW FIELD

The former pastor of St. Paul's M. E. Church, the Rev. Thomas A. Atkinson, at the recent session of the California conference was appointed to Byron, Contra Costa county. During the pastorate of Rev. Mr. Atkinson he and Mrs. Atkinson made many friends in South San Francisco, who congratulate them on the satisfactory adjustment that was made in the appointment to a good church and parsonage. This change met all claims for the past year.

## ARE YOU IN THE PIANO CONTEST?

One year's subscription to The Enterprise of \$2.00 in advance will buy you 5000 votes in the contest conducted by the Peninsula Drug Company.

First prize—Bungalow piano.

Second prize—\$75 graphanola or its equivalent—a ladies' or gentleman's watch.

Third prize—A set of silverware.

Here is an attractive offer to help you or the friend you are working for to win one of the prizes.

## A LIBRARY GARDEN?

Now that the first rain of the season has come, the time is also at hand to beautify the grounds of the new library building. Inquiries have been pouring in as to a means to hurry up this work. Flowers planted now will have the benefit of the winter rains and a fine start by next spring. South San Francisco's gardens afford every variety of slips and plants.

It has been suggested the Woman's Club take the matter in hand.

### TO DISCUSS NEW BOULEVARD.

Redwood City has been suggested by Supervisor Welch of San Francisco as the meeting place for a discussion of the proposed skyline boulevard from San Francisco to Santa Cruz. Supervisors of San Mateo, Santa Clara and Santa Cruz counties will be present. The proposed road will extend from Ingleside, skirting Lake Merced and thence along the crest of the hills bordering the ocean.

### NOTICE INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS.

NO. 29.

Pursuant to the Statute and to the resolution of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco, directing this notice, said Board of Trustees hereby invites sealed proposals or bids for doing the following work in said City, to-wit:

That portion of the alley between Grand Avenue and Miller Avenue, and included between the easterly line of Maple Avenue and the westerly line of Linden Avenue, and that portion of the alley between Grand Avenue and Miller Avenue, and included between the easterly line of Linden Avenue and the westerly line of Cypress Avenue, and that portion of the alley between Grand Avenue and Baden Avenue, and included between the easterly line of Maple Avenue and the westerly line of Linden Avenue, and included between the easterly line of Linden Avenue and the westerly line of Cypress Avenue, to be improved by grading to official grade and by constructing therein a concrete pavement having the width and thickness shown upon the plans and specifications hereinbefore referred to.

All work herein provided for shall be done to official grade and in accordance with the special plans and specifications for said work, which plans and specifications are entitled "Plans and specifications for the improvement of a portion of the alley between Grand Avenue and Miller Avenue, and a portion of the alley between Grand Avenue and Baden Avenue, in the City of South San Francisco, County of San Mateo, State of California, which alleys are fully shown upon the plans hereto attached, which plans are made a part hereof," which plans and specifications were heretofore adopted by said Board of Trustees on the 15th day of May, 1916, and are now on file in office of the City Clerk, and to which plans and specifications reference is hereby made for a further description of said work and for the location and extent of the work to be done hereunder.

Notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments, and bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum will be issued hereunder in the manner specified by the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, the last installment of which bonds shall mature nine (9) years from the second day of July next succeeding nine (9) months from the date of issue.

Notice is hereby made to Resolution of Intention No. 29 of said Board of Trustees declaring its intention to order said work to be done, for further particulars, which Resolution of Intention is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

All proposals or bids shall be accompanied by a check payable to the City of South San Francisco, certified by a responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than ten (10) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal or by a bond for the said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and two (2) sureties who shall justify before any officer competent to administer an oath in double the said amount, over and above all statutory exemptions.

Said sealed proposals or bids shall be delivered to the City Clerk of said City on or before eight o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 9th day of October, 1916, said time being no less than ten days from the time of the first publication and posting of this notice.

Dated September 20th, 1916.

WILLIAM J. SMITH,  
City Clerk.

9-23-21

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received and opened by the Board of Trustees of the South San Francisco High School District, San Mateo County, California, up to 7:00 o'clock p. m. on the 9th day of October, 1916, at the office of the Clerk of the Board, in the grammar school building at South San Francisco, California, for the erection and completion of a High School building for the above named District in accordance with plans and specifications made for the same by W. H. Weeks, the authorized architect employed by the Board.

Bids will be received separately on the plumbing, heating and ventilating, roofing, electric work, vacuum cleaning, program, class system and general contracts with alternate propositions.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Clerk of the Board, at South San Francisco, or at the office of the architect, W. H. Weeks, 75 Post Street, San Francisco, California.

A deposit of Twenty (\$20.00) Dollars cash will be required on all plans loaned out as a guarantee of good faith. The bids will be made out on blank forms furnished by the architect, and must be accompanied by a check for not less than five per cent (5%) of the amount bid, made payable to J. J. Dowd, President of the Board, and certified by some responsible banking house.

This check to be forfeited in the event that the successful bidder, after having been awarded the contract, fails within ten (10) days to sign the contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond, as required by law.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at South San Francisco, September 15, 1916.

J. J. DOWD, President  
E. C. CONRAD, Clerk.

9-16-21

### CALIFORNIA INVENTORS.

The following patents were just issued to California clients, reported by D. Swift & Co., patent lawyers, Washington, D. C., who will furnish copies of any patent for 10 cents apiece to our readers:

F. O. Andreas, Eureka, toy cane (sold); S. H. Born, Fresno, candy-making machinery (sold); J. S. Brown, Petaluma, fruit picker (sold); D. W. Church, San Diego, pipe wrench (sold); K. R. Dieterle, Los Angeles, film winder (sold); A. F. Feller, road working machine; F. B. Gee, Oakland, pocket portfolio; G. Glaudel, Los Angeles, silvering table; T. J. Griffin, Alameda, rotary drill (sold); C. Chisholm, Petaluma, offset printing and addressing press (sold); N. W. Cobb, Modesto, comb; J. B. Conlin, Columbia, tilting stand for dispensing receptacles; A. Craig, Fresno, making a waterproofing material (sold); R. F. Crittenden, Palo Alto, moistening device (sold); C. Demartini, Riverside, drier (sold); E. Downing, San Francisco, automobile tire rack (sold).

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Program Week Commencing Sunday, October 1st:

Sunday—Francis X. Bushman in "The Wall Between," five acts.

Monday—Concluding episode "Mysteries of Myra" serial, also feature comedies.

Tuesday—Cleo Ridgley and Wallace Reid in "The Golden Chance," five acts.

Wednesday—Vaudeville and professional tryouts.

Thursday—Fannie Ward in "The Cheat," five acts.

Friday—Drama in story "Who's Guilty" serial.

Saturday—Hobart Bosworth in "Little Sunset," five acts.

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## FRATERNAL ORDERS

Imp. Order of Red Men.  
(By Harry Edwards.)

Probably in no other element of social life does there appear so many opportunities for practical friendship

and practical assistance to mankind as within the ranks of a fraternal organization, but on the very threshold of our order the candidate is advised that the reward of service is within himself; that "no enjoyment can equal that which springs from the performance of a good action," and he who labors therein with the hope of material compensation is ever traveling a false trail and substituting

ing a selfish purpose for a friendship he possibly does not feel. Yet to the honor of the fraternities of our city it can be justly said that kindness and friendship and assistance is being dispensed by them as never before. And why?

It is because the fraternal organization is divine in its inception. It is the fulfillment of a duty of man to man. It is because God made man mutually dependent, and because, as the body may hunger for food, so the mind and soul hungers for that cheer, kindness and friendship that brightens human life. Fraternity gives opportunity for the exercise of generosity, that ever springs in the minds of those who recognize their duty to mankind and a higher understanding of life's trust and best obligations.

The social features of a fraternity add strength to and are its life. We have our business purposes and aims, but the adage "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" is true. Tippecanoe Tribe so conducts its affairs as to provide for relaxation from business at such times as to keep the interest and attention of its members at the highest pitch. This Saturday evening twenty-five or thirty members of Tippecanoe Tribe will travel to San Francisco at the call of the state secretary of the California Haymakers—the highest degree in a social way of the Improved Order of Red Men. A grand banquet will follow. Sunday next will be the first sleep in traveling moon.

## What Every Woman Wants

Every woman wants to have in her kitchen a stove that has these five qualities:

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It must be constructed of materials that will last—neither rust, break, nor pull apart

It must be easy to keep clean—good to look at—an object of pride in the kitchen

These are the things that every woman wants in the range which cooks the meals for her family

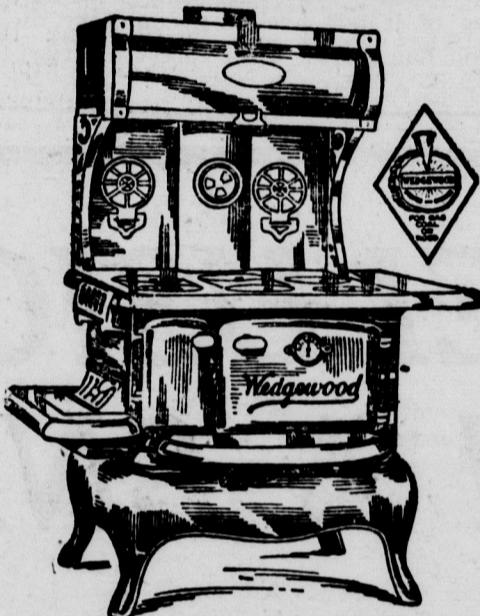
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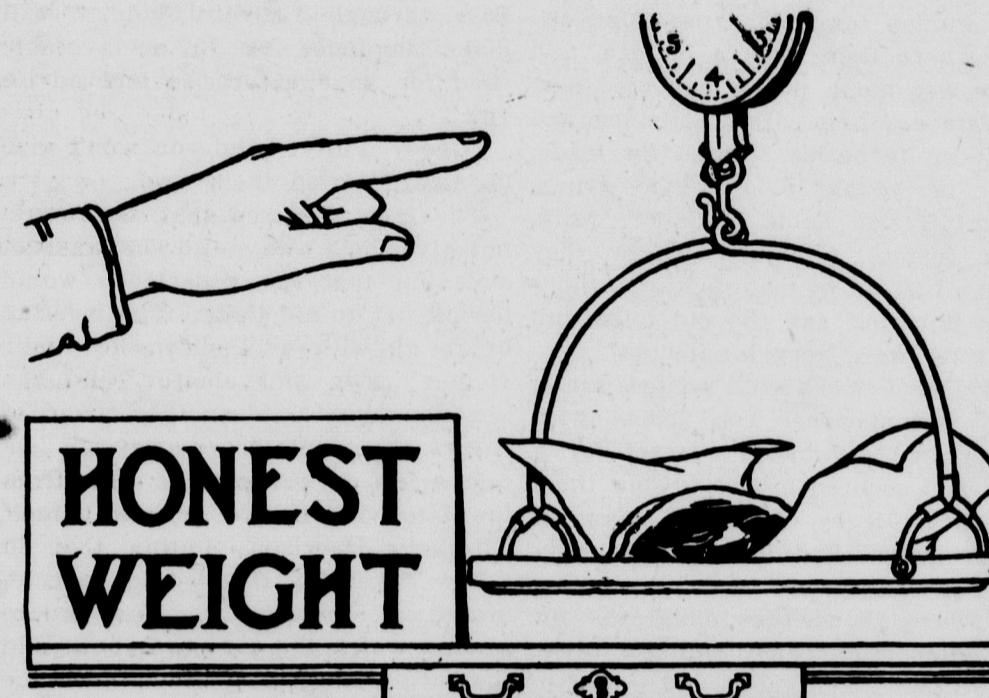
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## W. C. SCHNEIDER

227 Grand Ave. South San Francisco

## How the Town of Lady Bird Was Depopulated

What we now call the middle west was settled up in spots by very different peoples, and these spots, now cities or towns, show the differences to this day. One place will have been settled by refined people, and their descendants are refined; another will have been settled by a rough class, and its population will be rough to-day.

When one of these spots was in embryo—we will call it Eaglebird—its inhabitants were not naturally rough, but they were all men, and men without women will in time degenerate into wild beasts. No woman would go to Eaglebird because there were no women there. One or two of the men went east at different times to marry a sweetheart, but came back alone. When the girls learned that Eaglebird was exclusively a man town they invariably declined to exchange refined surroundings for a den.

There was a town not far distant from Eaglebird that we will call Ladybird. When the former was settled the latter had been a town for two decades. True, the Ladybirdians had run out the Indians, but they had all come to the region, men and women together, from Connecticut, where there was a college, and there was not a poorly educated person among them. But Ladybird had not been favorably located for trade, and its young men when grown sought busier fields of labor, while their sisters remained where they were. Instead of manufactures, there were libraries, and the old folks and the girls were very intellectual.

Eaglebird had been settled for a land speculation. Ten men with money had purchased a tract for a song and secured others to join them in settling it by offering a share in the property. In this way some forty men, mostly young and all unmarried, were secured as emigrants for the enterprise. They built a town, but no more men came, and owing to the absence of women there were no children.

O'Brien, who was the originator of the scheme, one day called a meeting in the town hall, a building 12 by 18, used principally for poker parties, and thus addressed the gathering:

"Gentlemen, if we can't get some women for wives we'll have to give up this scheme and go somewhere else. I've a proposition to make. There are more than fifty single women in Ladybird. Efforts have been made to induce some of them to marry our fellows, but they have turned up their noses at us. What do you say to swooping down on 'em and carrying 'em off?"

The idea took like wildfire. Naturally, the youngest men were the most enthusiastic. Thirty men agreed to join the abductors, and no one of them was over thirty years old, while the great majority were not twenty-five. This looked well for the scheme, for the girls they were to run off had nearly all been born since the settlement of Ladybird and were therefore young.

The very next day after the proposal of the abduction scheme a lady and her husband who were driving through the country with a view to establishing an emigration scheme stopped at Eaglebird and asked for entertainment for the night. They were accommodated, and so long had it been since the men had seen a woman that they treated the lady as though she were a queen. Every man in the town offered to serve her. In the evening they asked if she would not talk to them. It didn't matter what she said; they only wished to listen to the sweet, soft voice of a woman. She consented, and all adjourned to the town hall, where the lady was given a seat on the platform at one end of the room. This is what she said to them:

"Gentlemen, I don't wonder you wish to listen to a woman's voice. You are all refined men, roughened by living without woman's quieting influence. What you need is wives!"

There was a howl of response to

this that broke in upon the address. One man whose voice drowned the others gave away the scheme to abduct the young Ladybirds. He was howled down for doing so, since it was to be expected that he had rendered it abortive. When some sort of order was restored the lady spoke again:

"I am not sure but what your plan may be advisable."

This drew forth a burst of applause.

"Perhaps many of you," the lady continued, "who are educated men may call to mind how those men who settled Rome as you have settled Eaglebird invited their neighbors, the Sabines, to a feast and carried off their daughters. The women became attached to their husbands, and when their fathers and brothers attacked the Romans the women interposed and stopped the fight."

After another howl of approval the lady went on.

"I wouldn't advise so treacherous a method as inviting the Ladybirds to a feast. It is not necessary. Rather wait for some celebration during which the girls are out in a body. My husband and I intend to pass through Ladybird, and I will make inquiries as to a favorable time for your enterprise and advise you."

"Good! Bully! And you won't give us away?" cried the crowd.

The lady declared that she would not give them away, and she was not sure but that her conscience would permit her to aid them. The meeting broke up with wild cheers for their visitor, alder and abetter, and the next morning, amid another round of cheers, the couple drove away.

In a few days a message came from the late visitor, who signed herself Elizabeth Harrison, stating that in a few days May Day would be celebrated at Ladybird on the square around which the town was built and that at 4 o'clock in the afternoon the young people would dance around a Maypole. The children would first

do the dancing, then the young men and women. But since there were but two or three young men in the town and they either invalids or too spiritless to go away from such a dull place, they did not count. Therefore it was expected that some twenty-five or thirty young girls would be dancing together, constituting a fine flock of Ladybirds to be seized and carried away.

Mrs. Harrison strongly advised preparing a portion of Eaglebird for their reception and that they be placed there together by themselves. No one should be forced into marriage; they should simply be held until they married from choice or it was evident that they preferred to return to Ladybird.

That they had been fortunate in securing the services and advice of a woman was evident to all. Some who had believed that the scheme would be the ruin of Eaglebird began to think that a number of the girls could be induced to remain with them as wives. What such persons chiefly dreaded was that the captives would feel outraged at their abduction and that most of them taking to flight, would make good an escape.

Preparations were at once begun for the raid in accordance with Mrs. Harrison's advice. One end of the town was set apart for the girls and beautified so far as the men could beautify it, though, to tell the truth, this consisted chiefly in cleaning up, whitewashing, etc. There was also a cleaning up of the prospective husbands. There were but two or three razors in the town, and these were in constant requisition. Several men were appointed hair cutters and did a lot of shearing. The clothes the men had come in from the east were got out and furbished. Altogether after the polishing a very presentable set of young men were ready for courtship and matrimony.

May Day opened bright and beautiful. All the teams in the town were harnessed, and some thirty good and true men started for Ladybird. At

noon they stopped in the wood a few miles from the town for lunch and rest, but by 2 o'clock were again on the march. About 3 they sent out a mounted scout to watch for the time fitted for the attack and waited.

Over the waving grass and wild flowers, through the young leaves, came the sound of feminine voices mixed merrily. Every man started to his feet. In a few minutes the scout rode into camp and reported that the girls were dancing about the May pole. O'Brien, who was the leader, gave the order to start, and, advancing to the cover of trees overhanging certain houses of the town, they left their teams and, forming a line of battle, at a given signal moved forward in perfect silence upon the enemy.

Their advance was heralded by a scream, but before they were discovered they were within striking distance. What surprised them was that instead of running away the girls sank down where they were, covering their faces and shrieking. So expeditious were the abductors that before the elderly folks of the town could even collect to observe what was going on every girl had been carried off and placed in a wagon.

Never was an abduction more easily effected. A few of the girls resisted as they were hurried away, but whether or no they deemed resistance useless their struggles were not violent. Once in the wagons, with a guard on either side, they remained quietly where they were, and the caravan set out for Eaglebird.

They had not been long on the way when a guard at one of the

wagons went forward to O'Brien and said:

"Some of the girls in the wagon I'm with are snickering."

"Snickering? Are you sure it's not hysteria?"

"Hysterics be hanged. It's a girl's real snicker."

Then came other reports of the same kind, and presently the girls began to take note of their abductors, then to ask what they were going to do with them, and before long the train was much like a picnic party.

Well, to make a long story short, Mrs. Harrison, on her visit to Ladybird had told of the predicament of a lot of nice young men going downward for want of wives, and after duly preparing the young ladies' minds, revealed the coming raid. Gradually she won them over to permitting themselves to be abducted, assuring them that they would not be forced to marry unless they wished.

Within a few hours after the arrival of the train at Eaglebird there was a wedding, and before the day was ended there were two more. The number of spinsters each day grew beautifully less, and in the end but two of them returned to Ladybird.

Eaglebird is now quite a sizeable town, comprising churches, schools and all the requisites of civilization. A few great-grandfathers of the present generation are still honored as having been among the band that placed the town on a permanent basis by the raid on Ladybird. The latter town has disappeared, there being no trace of it left except a cemetery, in which has grown up a forest of trees.

—By F. A. Matché.

### FIND IMPRINT OF FOOT MADE CENTURIES AGO

Petrified Cast Dug Up by Workers Twenty Feet Below Surface.

Redding, Cal.—The petrified imprint of a human foot believed to be that of an Indian maiden made several thousand years ago, was on exhibition here recently. The cast was found twenty feet below the surface by workmen digging an irrigation canal.

The Indian girl, on some errand, was thought to have stepped into soft dirt or mud. Water or wind then was believed to have covered the imprint with sand, which later formed a sandstone mold giving the details of the toes, ball of the foot and lines of the instep.

### BULL UNAPPRECIATIVE; PEACEMAKER INJURED

Joseph Meadows of Los Angeles will have nothing more to do with bull fights. A humane disposition, he said, caused him to interfere recently when he saw a bulldog with teeth well sunk in a bull's flank, and he entered the field, pulled off the dog, and was tossing it over the fence, when the bull hit him. County hospital authorities found four broken ribs among Meadows' injuries.

#### Important.

"My dear, what shall I buy you for your birthday?"

"Consult our jeweler. He knows pretty well what my tastes are."

"And did you tell him anything about the state of my finances?"—Kansas City Journal.

## "A DELUSION and A SNARE"

THE Anti-Saloon League is making a deliberate attempt to deceive the people of the State by offering the second amendment as an "Anti-Saloon measure." The Sacramento "Bee" on February 15th, last, said of this:

This second proposal is not an anti-saloon issue.

It is much more than an effort to regulate the liquor traffic.

It is a scheme to throttle the wine industry of California.

It is a measure as obnoxious as prohibition itself.

Under an alias and behind a mask it presents prohibition in the garb of an anti-saloon measure.

Under it no hotel, restaurant or cafe could serve California wine with meals.

No commercial body, fraternal organization, or individual giving a public banquet at a place of public resort could offer wine to guests.

No club could serve wine to its members.

No summer resort could offer or give away wine to its patrons.

No grocery store or family liquor store could sell wine in sealed packages not to be consumed on the premises.

The thing is one of the most iniquitous offenses against personal liberty and the sacredness of individual rights ever thought of anywhere. It is a fraud when it masquerades under the alias of "an anti-saloon proposition."

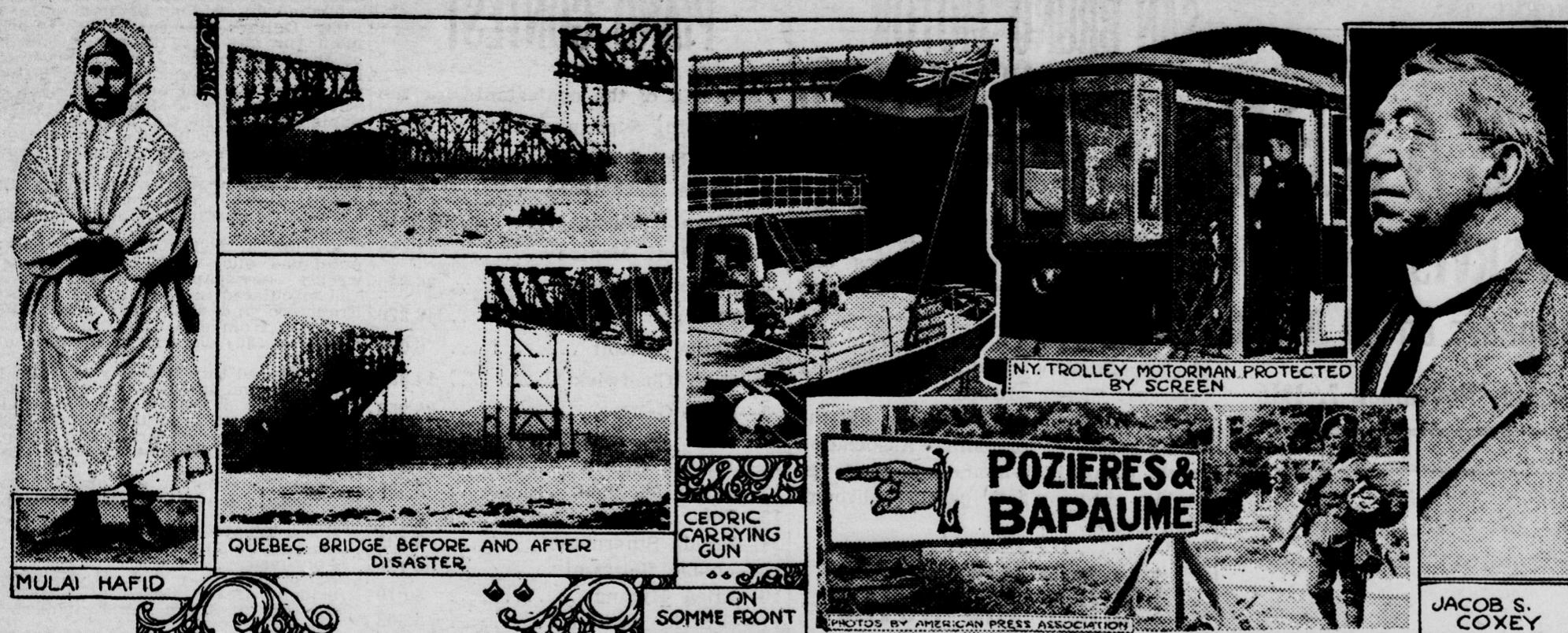
It is a farce when it claims to be merely a measure to "regulate the liquor traffic."

And it is an imposition throughout upon the voter, because it does not stand out in the sunlight under its true colors.

The voters of California are asked to vote on two prohibition measures. The first amendment on the ballot is absolute prohibition and says so. The second amendment on the ballot is also a prohibition amendment but masquerades as an anti-saloon measure. The principal difference between the two is that one goes into effect at the end of 1917, and the other goes into effect two years later.

REGISTER NOW AND VOTE NO AMENDMENTS 1 AND 2

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310-312 HUMBOLDT BANK BUILDING  
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA



## News Snapshots Of the Week

eleven, Canada at once started an investigation to place the blame. Street, subway and "L" cars were covered with steel netting to protect motormen from harm during second New York city traction strike. Spain plans to capture and intern Mulai Hafid, ex-sultan of Morocco, who has started another rebellion.

## CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS IN BRIEF

News of All Kinds Gathered From Various Points in the State and So Reduced in Size That It Will Appeal to All Classes of Our Readers.

The price of tuna has jumped to \$45 per ton.

Coronado's society leaders will appear in an actual "movie" soon.

Over 200 grown people have joined the night school of the Redondo Beach Union High School.

In California in 1915 there were 46,412,143 acres assessed, while this year there were 49,255,160.

Considerable damage has resulted to the almond crop in the Chico vicinity by the rain, it was reported.

Lightning struck in several places in San Francisco and Oakland during the electrical storm of last week.

Members of the Orland Project Water Users' Association have organized the National Farm Loan Association of Orland.

The Pasadena Board of Education has provided for a daily flag ceremony at each of the public schools during the coming year.

Mrs. Lottie Nelson, known as Helen Montgomery, of Stockton, was sentenced to eighteen months in San Quentin for forgery.

The total indebtedness of the counties of the State has increased about \$4,000,000. In 1915 it was \$62,628,614 and for 1916, \$66,370,265.

Too much overripe fruit is said to be responsible for an epidemic of gastritis which Dr. C. F. Camp says has broken out at San Pablo.

Forty cans of young trout are to be planted in Nevada County streams next week. The shipment was from the Sisson hatchery.

The Board of Education voted to provide an elective course of military training, under the officers reserve law, in the Pasadena High School.

Hillsborough, city of millionaires, which already has one of the lowest tax rates in the State, announced a 14-cent reduction for the coming year.

By sending out 127 men to various jobs in one day, the California State free employment bureau on September 19, broke all records for that office.

Unusually early rains, accompanied by thunder and lightning, promised to do considerable damage to the late table grape crop in San Joaquin county.

The work of building the Churn creek siphon at Redding will require 4200 feet of reinforced concrete and 500 feet of cast iron pipe, three feet in diameter.

While trying to save his grandchildren, Dominic Siterala, an aged Italian, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the home of his son-in-law in San Jose.

The Supreme Court has declared the Palermo Land and Water Company a public utility and ordered the company to supply water to the land in the Palermo Colony.

San Francisco is to have a psychopathic hospital for the care and cure of drug users if the plans of the physicians and directors of State Hospitals do not miscarry.

Residents of Santa Ana have been alarmed, and somewhat excited, over the actions of an unknown person who comes in the stealth of night and peeps into their windows.

The construction work on the Churn

creek siphon under the Sacramento river at Redding, one of the largest siphons on the Pacific coast, is being rushed to completion.

Orders have been received at Fort Rosserans for the return of the two batteries of the Twenty-first United States Infantry, now stationed at Yuma, Arizona, to the border.

In a decision rendered by Judge W. B. Wallace of the Superior Court at Visalia, all disputes as to water rights on the Tulare river, near Porterville, have been settled by stipulation.

The State Board of Health has received a report from W. E. Dozier, Health Inspector, that Susanville, the county seat of Lassen county, is suffering from an epidemic of grip.

The City Fathers have fixed the Whittier city tax rate at \$1.67. This is a reduction from last year, when the rate was \$1.74, although it is not yet as low as the rate of two years ago, \$1.61.

California citrus fruit growers are pleased over the news that the embargo which Australia placed on American citrus fruits last February has been removed for California and Arizona.

Juniors of Pasadena schools have been relieved of the task of raising and lowering the Stars and Stripes on the school grounds and the duty will be imposed on a squad of four boys at each school.

A buck was killed on the last day of the season by William Casey Jr., near his home at San Lucas. The deer was an old one and weighted 237 pounds dressed. Hunters have been trying for years to get it.

The value of property in the State of California has increased \$266,699,690 during the year 1916, according to the reports of the County Auditors of the State, just compiled by State Controller John S. Chambers.

After the freeholders had completed their work of preparing a charter for the city of Lodi it was found a mistake was made in the first step of the proceedings, that of taking the census to ascertain if the population was at least 35,000.

Announcement was made by the Union Oil Company that it had inaugurated an eight-hour working day for the employees in its plant at Oleum, as well as substituting a regular monthly salary for the present hourly wage scale.

Formal approval of plans for launching the United States submarine L-7 Thursday, September 28, has been received at Long Beach from the Navy Department by the California Shipbuilding Company, constructor of the vessel.

James Benton, who lives in Santa Barbara, catches rattlesnakes for a living, and this week sold thirty-six of the reptiles for \$12 each to Oxnard Chinese, who value them for medicinal purposes, drugs being compounded from the venom.

Ill feeling existing between enlisted men of the Fifth California Regiment and the negro population of Sacramento resulted in a near-riot, when 100 guardsmen charged a score of negroes who had congregated on L street, between Fourth and Fifth.

Lightning that accompanied the rain storm in Oroville caused a loss of several thousand dollars and plunged the city in darkness for several hours when it struck the Coal Canyon power house of the Oro Electric Company and burned it to the ground.

Women students at the University of California will exceed the men if the rate of increase continues for another year, according to statistics just issued by the office of the recorder. Of 1757

new students registered this semester, 881 are men and 876 are women.

For twenty years George Van Buskirk, 85-year-old Yuba county pioneer, lived in the darkness that cataract of the eye brought on, only to see the light once more, following an operation performed last week by Green brothers at the St. Francis Hospital in San Francisco.

An inspection of all railroad crossings in Merced county is in progress by R. S. Ashworth and T. J. Garey, representatives of the State Railroad Commission. As a result many trees and other obstructions are to be ordered down in a safety-first campaign that will greatly aid autoists.

On account of the unprecedented demand for minor coins throughout the country, the San Francisco Mint has been placed upon a twenty-four hour working basis. Instead of one shift of eight hours, as heretofore, the money-making machinery of the plant will be kept going by three shifts working eight hours each.

Either oil barge No. 8 or No. 9 is to be ordered to proceed to San Diego in the near future, according to reliable information received at Mare Island from Washington, as the department wants to have everything in readiness when the new liquid-fuel type of destroyers arrive on this seaboard from the Atlantic coast.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has issued a warrant for the arrest of D. F. Anderson of Garden Grove, who is said to be the man who drove his auto into a flock of sheep near the county highway near Chatsworth, speeding away without offering assistance, after killing twelve and injuring eight of the animals.

Upon a piece of brown wrapping paper, Mrs. Clara E. Bowen, who died recently, wrote her will bequeathing a \$2500 estate to several near relatives. The will was filed for probate in the Superior Court of San Francisco. There were no witnesses to the will. It was written in pencil. According to attaches of the County Clerk's office, the document will stand.

Ground has been broken at the Old Soldiers' Home at Sawtelle for the erection of a group of cabins to be known as the "Veterans' Court Cabins." The group will consist of twelve one-story buildings of 18x24 feet, which will be equipped with steam heating, electric light, closets, toilet and bathrooms, and every essential comfort. The improvement will cost \$4000.

A jury brought in a verdict of guilty against Cyrus L. Adams, a Los Angeles printer, formerly of Orange, who was charged with criminal libel in that he circulated during a city campaign at Orange, a handbill charging J. W. Morrison, K. E. Watson and Ralph Fuller of Orange with receiving \$100 each for voting for Miguel Estudillo of Riverside for the State Senatorial nomination eight years ago.

The best bean crop ever produced in the San Fernando Valley has just been harvested on the Marian Acres, owned by Jacob Jepson. Seventy-three thousand and eight hundred and fifty pounds of Tepary beans were threshed from 27 acres of land, and the straw weighed 60 tons when baled. This averages a trifle more than 30 sacks of 90 pounds each per acre. This crop was produced on land which has never been irrigated and which has not been plowed for two years.

Many thousand dollars' damage was done in Salinas last week in the worst hailstorm ever experienced. The hailstones measured an inch and a half in diameter and chickens and small birds

were killed, many apple trees were stripped of fruit and leaves and there are very few skylights or windows with a west exposure not broken. The hailstorm lasted but thirty minutes and fortunately was confined to the beet lands, and but little bean land was devastated, and the hailstorm covered an area of four square miles.

### End of the Story.

"Oh, if I were only beautiful," she sighed artfully.

"I wouldn't care if I were you," he said. "You are very intellectual and you have a sweet disposition. Besides, you are nice to your mother, and all that is much better than being beautiful."

And he was never invited to see her again.—*Pall Mall Gazette*.

### Happy Boys.

"The Smithers twins are so much alike that their own mother can't tell them apart."

"That must be rather confusing."

"It is, but the boys don't mind it. Their mother never dares to whip either of them for fear it might be the wrong one."—*Exchange*.



A CALLOT MODEL.

A fascinating evening gown is this French affair developed in an exquisite chiffon brocade and satin striped fabric. One sleeveless side contracts wonderfully with a metal lace scarf sleeve, the lines being all grace. Soft blue, cream lace and gold thread are the shades and motifs of this frock, which may well be termed a "creation."

## HE KEPT US OUT OF WHAT WAR?

Disingenuous to boast that it's through any act of Wilson  
We are out of the European Contest.

### RATHER SHOULD BE BLAMED FOR MEXICO BELLIGERENCY

During the Present Administration We Have Seized a Mexican Port and Sent Our Entire Army and Militia to Fight Mexicans While Armed Mexican Forces Have Invaded American Soil and Fought Battles Against Our People.

Sometimes you hear men, sensible men, too, say, "I'm going to vote for Wilson this year because he kept us out of war."

Ask such men a short question. Ask them, "Out of what war?"

Did Mr. Wilson keep us out of the European war? No. He has himself in a formal address to congress spoken of the European war as "a war with which we have nothing to do, a war whose causes do not touch us." How could Mr. Wilson keep us out of a war with which we have nothing to do and whose causes do not touch us?

Did he keep the rest of the western hemisphere out of the European war? No independent nation on this side of the world is involved in it; the only people in it are the colonies of European powers and they had no voice in their fate, for they were automatically at war when their mother governments went to war. Who kept Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Peru, out of the European war? Did Mr. Wilson?

Did Mr. Wilson keep us out of war with Mexico? No. In his term more Americans have been killed by Mexicans than by Spaniards during the whole Spanish war. In his term we have seized a Mexican port and have sent our entire regular army and militia to fight Mexicans. In his term Mexican armed forces have invaded American soil and fought battles against our people within our boundaries.

President Taft went through two Mexican revolutions during his term, the revolution against Diaz and the revolution against Madero. American lives were safe in Mexico during that time. No Mexican cities were seized by Americans and no armed Mexicans invaded the United States while Mr. Taft was in the White House. Yet Mr. Taft never thought of asking the American people to vote for him because he kept us out of war with Mexico. He put an embargo on arms so that American weapons would not be sent across the boundary, and he refused to interfere in Mexican affairs. When he left office Mexicans liked Americans, and Americans were safe in Mexico. Since he left office Mexicans hate Americans and Americans dare not remain in Mexico. Did Mr. Wilson keep us out of war with Mexico? Not if words mean anything.

Mr. Wilson did not keep us out of the European war, and he did not keep us out of war with Mexico.

Out of what war, then?—Detroit Free Press.

### AN UNBIASED VIEW.

Comment in Washington Shows Hughes' Speeches Have Concrete Effect.

From Washington correspondence New York Evening Post:

It is idle even for the Democrats to claim that Mr. Hughes' speeches have not been effective. Whether or not they have seemed so to the voters in the west and northwest is something very difficult to judge at this distance, but it is not to be denied that right here in Washington Mr. Hughes' utterances have had a very concrete effect. It is an ill wind that blows no good. The rumpus that Mr. Hughes has stirred up about civil service reform has really got under the skin of the administration. It is something which the president and his political advisers carelessly ignored. So it is with a portion of Mr. Hughes' criticism of the Mexican policy. When he argues that the paramount duty of the United States is to protect its citizens abroad in their lives and property he is standing on an unimpeachable ground. And the administration knows it. The effect certainly of Mr. Hughes' remarks will be to stiffen the hand of the administration in dealing with a question of protection for Americans abroad.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

RE-ELECT

**JIM CASEY**  
SUPERVISOR  
His Name Appears on All Ballots

General Election, November 7, 1916

**"Path of Gold"**  
Celebration  
San Francisco—

October 4 and 5

"Home-Coming Week"

Festival of Illumination  
Pageant and Open Air DancingSee the "Bright Lights of  
Market Street"—  
San Francisco's Broadway

Wonderful Electrical Effects

Grand Fancy Dress and Masque  
Ball at Civic AuditoriumSpectacular Fireworks Display  
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ASK AGENTS

**SOUTHERN PACIFIC**

Write for Booklet on Apache Trail of Arizona



**Use More Paint**  
Do Less Scrubbing

Painted kitchen floors are sanitary and easy to keep clean. The smooth hard surface will not allow dirt to "sink in." There's no need of the work, worry and backaches caused by scrubbing bare wood floors.

**ACME QUALITY**  
FLOOR PAINTS

are inexpensive—about six cents a square yard for two coats. They are easy to apply—you can do it yourself—and they dry quickly. Ask at our store for color sample card, which tells you about painting, staining, varnishing and waxing floors.

**SOUTH CITY LUMBER AND SUPPLY CO.**

**SAN BRUNO MOTOR  
CRUSADE ENDED**

The crusade against autoists on the state highway that has been waged by City Recorder J. M. Custer of San Bruno was brought to an abrupt end-to-day when the city trustees discharged the two men Custer had hired to trap autoists.

In their place a deputy marshal will be appointed, who will report to City Marshal Charles Brose.

Custer has been charged by the California Automobile Association with using high-handed methods in fining automobilists passing through San Bruno.

**LADIES' AID NOTES**

The Ladies' Aid social held at the home of Mrs. Doak on Wednesday afternoon proved a very enjoyable affair.

A large number of ladies were present and several new names were added to the roll of the Ladies' Aid.

Miss Smith favored the company with several of her delightful whistling solos.

The next social will be held on October 25th at the home of Mrs. Duncan on Spruce avenue, Mrs. Savage assisting in the entertainment.

**Food Sale.**

The regular monthly food sale will be held on Saturday, October 7th, Mrs. Whitten being chairman of the committee. Those friends having the meat pie pans belonging to the Ladies' Aid will confer a favor by leaving same with Mrs. Whitten or the president, Mrs. Stearns, early in the week.

**Reception.**

The ladies of the M. E. Church are preparing to give out our new pastor, Rev. W. T. Miller, a reception on Monday evening, October 9th.

The reception is to be held in Lodge Hall, as the Fraternal Brotherhood have kindly given us the use of the hall for that evening.

A cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the church to be present on that occasion and give our pastor a royal welcome.

**SAN MATEO'S MONKEY  
FOOLS EAGER POSSE**

A posse of determined men, armed and with a pack of eager bloodhounds, has been on the trail of the "vicious ape" since Thursday night, when the simian attacked the twin infants of Alfred L. Meyerstein, the San Francisco capitalist, and was routed only after a brave fight by their nurse, Miss Edith Thomas. Miss Thomas says that the ape was about the size of a well-developed eight-year-old boy. Mrs. A. Mighall of Portola, former owner of the simian, insists that the now hunted ape measures up to the plans and specifications of a female tabby cat.

Last night the monkey was reported in the vicinity of the Meyerstein estate again.

Meyerstein says he will file action for civil damages against J. M. Williamson, owner of the truant animal.

Monday afternoon the Delphian section of the Woman's Club will hold its first lecture under the direction of Mrs. Bacon at 801 Grand avenue. Mrs. Bacon will talk on Egypt, where she lived for many years.

**PIANO CONTEST**

Standing of the contestants for the week ending September 22d: Votes

1—Rita Schmidt	6,250
2—Grace Eschelbach	4,110
3—Eleanor Morton	247,040
4—Elizabeth Monize	44,830
5—Marion Fischer	96,640
6—Florence Bonetti	248,270
7—Nellie Bortoli	6,050
8—Cecil Chadwick	14,390
9—Irene Galli	28,950
10—Ruth Meier	18,925
11—Juanita Brown	5,155
12—Sarah M. Doak	3,595
13—Peter Speros	2,500
14—Freida Stuermann	3,435
15—Louise Beltrami	104,150
16—Ellen Hyland	3,010
17—Beatrice Neilan	5,505
18—Amelio Signorella	4,985
19—Virginia Chicacci	4,600
20—Rose Mirata	3,420
21—Alma Chicco	2,000
22—Alice Stearns	4,990
23—Marie Smith	3,450
24—Maud Wallace	3,065
25—Emma Johnson	3,420
26—Helen Dunbaugh	25,000
27—Anna Coombs	2,000
28—Juanita Dean	2,495
29—Emily Fourcans	3,510
30—Harold Wodman	2,990
31—Eleanor Hynding	5,270
32—Evelyn Brown	3,310
33—Elizabeth Lynch	3,045
34—Beatrice Farrell	3,395
35—Pearl Ingersoll	17,500
36—Methuia Castro	4,890
37—Leta Lloyd	45,665
38—Aida Mazzoni	147,045
39—Palma Mancusa	7,780
40—Adele Locatelli	2,660
41—Gilda Piconi	8,125
42—Ruth Bissett	2,980
43—Anfie Castro	14,525
44—Edna Broner	10,075
45—Alicia Signorelli	2,410
46—Miss Moss	2,000
47—Catholic Hall	93,275
48—Francis Carr	2,000
49—Georgie Wishing	2,400
50—Rose Varney	2,000
51—	2,000
52—Laura Wilson	2,000

Ask for votes at all stores; they all have them.

Deposit votes at Peninsula Drug

This contest is being conducted by the music department of the Peninsula Drug Company, under the direct supervision of the amiable manager, Manuel Bernardo.

**ASHES KILL COLUSA CHICKENS.**

The deposit of ashes and lye in the garbage cans around Colusa of late for sanitary purposes caused the near-by ranchers the loss of many chickens and turkeys. The garbage collected was used to feed their hogs and poultry.

**ORDINANCE NO. 91.**

**An Ordinance Imposing a License Tax  
Upon Laundry Routes in the City of  
South San Francisco.**

The Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Every person, firm or corporation, either as principal or agent, who maintains a laundry route, or who carries on a laundry business as agent, solicitor, representative, or employee shall pay a license tax of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) per annum, payable quarterly in advance, until the master or principal has paid such license tax, it shall be unlawful to carry on or solicit for such laundry business until said tax shall be paid; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall apply to any persons, firm or corporation having a fixed place of business within the City of South San Francisco where laundry work is done.

Section 2. Every person who shall violate any of the terms of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) or by imprisonment for not more than one month or by both such fine and imprisonment. Each day's continuance of violation of the terms of this ordinance shall constitute a separate offense and shall be punishable as herein provided.

Section 3. Ordinance No. 68 of the City of South San Francisco entitled "An ordinance imposing a license tax upon laundry routes in the City of South San Francisco," passed and adopted May 19th, 1913, is hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be published once in "The Enterprise," a weekly newspaper printed, published and circulated in the City of South San Francisco and shall take effect and be in force from and after the expiration of thirty (30) days from the date of its passage.

Passed and adopted as an ordinance of the City of South San Francisco at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco this 7th day of August, 1916, by the following vote:

Ayes, Trustees F. A. Cunningham, M. F. Healy, G. H. Wallace and J. H. Kelley.

Noes, Trustees G. W. Holston.

Absent, Trustees none.

Approved:

J. H. KELLEY, President of the Board of Trustees of the City of South San Francisco.

Attest:

[Seal] W. J. SMITH, City Clerk.

By J. C. McGOVERN, Deputy Clerk.

9-30-16



**ANNOUNCEMENT**

The lot selling agency in the platted district of South San Francisco has been placed in charge of E. C. Peck & Co.

Mr. Peck's office is located in the hotel building and the San Francisco offices occupy the entire second floor of the Flannery building on Market and Kearny streets.

A house building organization is operated in conjunction with this agency. Salesmen desiring to handle lots in this district will apply direct to E. C. Peck & Co. at the above address.

**SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO LAND AND  
IMPROVEMENT CO.**

By W. J. Martin, General Manager.

For Rent—Store on San Mateo avenue, San Bruno; building 34x68; fronting on two streets; cement basement under whole building; five-room flat upstairs; will give lease. E. E. Cunningham & Co. Advt.

Every Saturday at the Linden Hotel, piano and harp lessons given by Mrs. A. A. Kishon (nee Vandenberg); terms reasonable. Advt.

For Rent—For housekeeping, two and three rooms. Inquire P. Palla, Central Hotel, corner of Lux avenue and San Bruno road. Advt.

J. Monize, tonsorial artist, at 222 Grand avenue, is agent for Progress Laundry, whose cleaning and dyeing is done in a first-class manner. Advt.

**100 LOTS SOLD IN LAST 90 DAYS  
TO SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO PEOPLE**

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ARE ALL SOLD AND PRICES GO UP

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222 LINDEN AVENUE

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